

## Wilfrid Sheed, author, died this week

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As I was driving home from the store I heard the news of author Wilfrid "Bill" Sheed's death at 80 this week.

His parents, Frank Sheed and Mary "Maisie" Ward founded the Catholic publishing house Sheed & Ward.

[NPR's memorial to his life](#) [1] is worth a listen.

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